DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—It is reported that raiyats are engaged in ploughing and manuring the fields and that ground-nuts, til and haraka are being sown in parts of Magadi and Anekal Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy, til and horsegram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane and paddy are being harvested in parts of Bangalore and Anekal Taluks.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" and "Chappe Roga" in parts of Anekal, Dodballapur, Magadi, Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are under progress in Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks. Ploughing and carting manure to fields are going on in parts of Sidlaghatta Taluk.

Standing crops.—Such as sugar-cane, paddy and onions are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ground-nuts are being sown in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains are stationary. Labour is available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Chikballapur Taluk.

Pasture, water and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Ground-nut in parts of Tumkur Taluk, paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk and cholam and castor in parts of Koratagere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, and Sira Koratagere Taluks; yield 10 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane in parts of all the Taluks in the District, cholam in parts of Madhugiri, Pavagada and Koratagere Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and til in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good.

11. But for the prevalence of Rinderpest in all Hoblies of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and in some parts of Madhugiri and Kunigal Taluks, the cattle are reported to be healthy in the other parts of the District. The Veterinary Inspectors are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, togari, mulberry, avare, kadale, til, jola, sugar-cane, cotton, karragi, horse-gram, black and green-grams tadûguni, ground-nut, coriander are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Castor in part of Hunsur Taluk, ragi and avare, in parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Yedatore and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for rinderpest in Saragahalli and in Nagenahalli of Mysore Taluk and in Karakal Madahalli of Gundlupet Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been addressed to take preventive action.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8 Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi is being transplanted in the Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; Paddy in the Belur Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi, til, jolam and cotton are being sown in the Belur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks

in the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; til in the Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. Cotton in the Arsikere Taluk and jolam in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for 'Rinderpest' in the Heragu Attavara, Kittanakere and Byrapura villages in the Hassan Taluk and for 'Chapperoga' in the Sabbanhalli in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Ploughing operations are going on in the District.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Tirthahalli and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi, jolam, groundnut and green gram in the Channagiri Taluk and Honnali Taluks are being sown during the week.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair. It is reported that the paddy crop in Janenahalli Village of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk is affected by an insect called ಜಿಟ್ಟೆಹುಳ. The Agricultural Department has been addressed in the matter of taking remedial measures. Food grains are available and their prices continue to be stationery.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest in the Holehonnur village of Shimoga Taluk and Chickuda, Kondadahalli and Doddabhygere villages of the Channagiri Taluk. The Veterinary Inspectors have been addressed in the matter.

Fodder and water are reported to be available.

KADUR.

8. Markets were well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Kadur Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—Paddy and coriander; Kadur—Cholam, gingelly, groundnut, baragu and castor; Tarikere—Paddy, gingelly, black and green grams; Koppa—Paddy; Sringeri—Paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane and kode-paddy; Kadur—Cholum, gingelly, arhar, tadaguni, avare, castor, groundnut, baragu, black and green-grams; Tarikere—Sugar-cane; Koppa—Paddy; Mudigere—Paddy, coffee and cardamom; Narasimharajpura—Paddy and sugar-cane; Sringeri—Paddy.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Narasimharajapura Sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available but their prices continue to be steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Metre roga is reported to be prevailing in Kuduvalli village, Chikmagalur Taluk. Rinderpest in Hulikere village, Kadur Taluk, and foot and mouth disease in the Megunda Hobli of the Koppa Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector of the Kadur Taluk is reported to be taking needful steps against the spread of the disease. The Director of Agriculture has been written to in regard to the other two Taluks. The concerned Veterinary Inspectors have also been asked to take immediate needful action.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Manuring and ploughing operations are reported to be going on in the Taluks of Holalkere, Molakalmuru, Jagalur, Hosadurga and Harihar Sub-Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, ground-nut and tobacco are reported to be in good condition, without being damaged by insects or other natural calamities.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldaug—Paddy, ground-nut, and jola. Challakere—Ragi. Hiriyur—Til, jola and horse-gram. Holalkere—Jola groundnut and bengal gram. Davangere—Ground nut and paddy. Jagalur—Groundnut. Hosdurga—Til, jola, groundnut and green-gram.

Crops harvested with their outturn.—Chitaldrug—Sugar-cane and paddy, 8 annas; Challakere—Paddy (from 6 to 8 annas); Hiriyur—Ground-nut and paddy; Molakalmuru—Cotton, sugar-cane and wheat (8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationery Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for mouth and food disease in parts of Chitaldrug Taluk; Rinderpest and Throat disease in parts of Davangere and Rinderpest in parts of Molakalmuru and Jagalur Taluks. Rinderpest is reported to be abating in Hosdurga Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

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